

# Standards Announcement

## NPCC Quebec Regional Variance PRC-006-3

Comment period open through June 21, 2017

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The Northeast Power Coordinating Council, Inc. (NPCC) has requested NERC to post Regional Reliability Standards **PRC-006-3 - Automatic Underfrequency Load Shedding NPCC Quebec Regional Variance Revision** for industry review and comment as permitted by the NERC Rules of Procedure.

### Commenting

Use the [electronic form](#) to submit comments. If you experience any difficulties in using the electronic form, contact [Mat Bunch](#). The form must be submitted by **8 p.m. Eastern, Wednesday, June 21, 2017**. An unofficial Word version of the comment form is posted on the [Regional Reliability Standards Under Development](#) page.

### Regional Reliability Standards Development Process

Section 300 of [NERC's Rules of Procedures of the Electric Reliability Organization](#) governs the regional reliability standards development process.

### Background

This proposed revision to the NPCC Regional Variance specifically applies to the Quebec Region only. Due to the unique nature of the Quebec province being its own interconnection, the variance is being developed using the NPCC Regional Standard Processes Manual. Specifically, the "Section D. Regional Variance" and "Attachment 1A," which apply only to Quebec, have been revised to reflect the unique nature of the Quebec interconnection.

Although the technical aspects of this Regional Reliability Standard have been vetted through NPCC's Regional Standards development process, the final approval process for a Regional Reliability Standard requires NERC publicly to notice and request comment on the criteria outlined in the comment form.

Documents and information about this project are available on the [NPCC's Standards Under Development](#) page.

For more information or assistance, contact Standards Developer, [Mat Bunch](#) (via email) or at (404) 446-9785.

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